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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Applicant(s):

Arvind Arun Pande; Saurabh Ramchandra Godbole; Anand A. Kekre

Assignee:

VERITAS Operating Corporation

Title:

PROPAGATING RESULTS OF A VOLUME-CHANGING OPERATION TO

REPLICATED NODES

Serial No.:

10/675,505

Examiner:

Tarik Koc

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate); and
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (8 pages).

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total C	laims	20	Minus	24	=	0	x	\$ 50.00	\$	•	0.00
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	Fee for Request for Extension of Time								\$		0.00
Total additional fee for this Amendment:								\$		0.00	
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated March 23, 2006, having a shortened statutory period expiring on June 23, 2006. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No Amendments to the Specification or Drawings are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page xx of this paper.